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PHARMACEUTICAL RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT, L.L.C.,

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JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

TARAN POWELL and

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY MARCUS POWELL, w/h, LAW DIVISION: MIDDLESEX COUNTY

DOCKET NUMBER: MID-L-9529-07-MT

Plaintiffs,

**CIVIL ACTION** 

v.

ORTHO-McNEIL PHARMACEUTICAL, INC.; JOHNSON & JOHNSON; JOHNSON: & JOHNSON PHARMACEUTICAL

RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT, L.L.C.,

f/k/a R.W. JOHNSON RESEARCH

INSTITUTE, JANE DOE DISTRIBUTORS: (1-50); JILL DOE MANUFACTURERS (1-:

50); JACK DOE WHOLESALERS (1-50); JAKE DOE SELLERS (1-50); JOHN DOE

MARKETERS (1-50); JOAN DOE

FORMULATORS (1-50); JIM DOE

HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS (1-50); and

JEAN DOE (1-50),

Defendants.

IN RE ORTHO EVRA® BIRTH CONTROL PATCH LITIGATION CASE CODE 275

> **SUMMARY JUDGMENT** ORDER

THIS MATTER having come before the Court by Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP, attorneys for Defendants Johnson & Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research & Development, LLC, and Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical, Inc., now known as Ortho-McNeil-Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc. on application for summary judgment pursuant to R. 4:46, the Court having considered this application, and good cause having been shown;

It is on this 9th day of January, 2808

## **ORDERED** as follows:

- 1. Defendants' motion for summary judgment be and hereby is GRANTED;
- 2. Plaintiffs' Complaint be and hereby is DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE; and
- 3. A copy of this Order shall be served upon all counsel of record within \(\frac{1}{2}\) days from the date of entry.

Hon. Jamie D. Happas, J.S.C.

This motion was:

\_\_\_ Opposed

**½** Unopposed

Having reviewed the above motion, I find it to be meritorious on its face and is unopposed. Pursuant to R.1:6-2, it therefore will be granted essentially for the reasons set forth in the moving papers.

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